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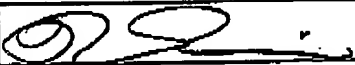
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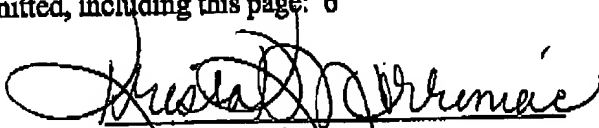
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In response to the Office Action mailed July 25, 2002, please enter the following amendments and remarks.

AMENDMENTS

In the Claims:

Please cancel claims 13-15 without prejudice to filing of a continuation application directed thereto.

Please amend claim 4 to read as follows:

4. (Amended) The package of claim 1 wherein the package has a reduced package profile including the lead.